

Mighty League, Vol. 1: The Terrible Taunting Reader Discussion Questions

For educators, homeschoolers, and parents:

It is our intention that the Mighty League comic be entertaining and fun! But there is also the opportunity to use narrative to teach children about autism awareness, self-acceptance, peer-acceptance and encountering bullies. These questions are designed for deeper thinking and discussion.



In their super-secret notebooks, JMan and Jaycee share that they have Aspergers Syndrome, a type of autism. Would you have known this if you just read the story? If you couldn't what does that mean?

How does one who has Aspergers feel? How does social awkwardness play a role in these feelings?

What is it like to feel different and not fit in?

Why is it important to accept people with Aspergers?

How can you help someone with autism or Aspergers Syndrome feel welcome?

JMan and Jaycee encounter Evan, a bully, on the school playground and stand up to him. Do you think that this is a good idea? What are some ideas you have about dealing with a bully?

Did you know that this story is based on a real boy with Aspergers Syndrome? What questions would you ask him if you could?

The Main Idea or Theme of a story is a lesson that you learned while reading the story. What is the theme of this story? Are there any other themes?

Did the story end the way you expected it to? What can you imagine will happen to the characters after the story ended? Why do you think so?

If you had to tell someone what Aspergers Syndrome or autism is after reading this story and the super-secret notebook, what would you say?

